OPINION 1902

Anomalina d'Orbigny, 1826 (Foraminiferida): Anomalina ariminensis d'Orbigny in Fornasini, 1902 designated as the type species

Keywords. Nomenclature; taxonomy; Foraminiferida; ANOMALINIDAE; Anomalina; Anomalina punctulata; Anomalina ariminensis.

Ruling

- Under the plenary powers all previous fixations of type species for the nominal genus Anomalina d'Orbigny, 1826 are hereby set aside and Anomalina ariminensis d'Orbigny in Fornasini, 1902 is designated as the type species:
- (2) The name Anomalina d'Orbigny, 1826 (gender: feminine), type species by designation under the plenary powers in (1) above Anomalina ariminensis d'Orbigny in Fornasini, 1902, is hereby placed on the Official List of Generic Names in Zoology.
- (3) The name ariminensis d'Orbigny in Fornasini, 1902, as published in the binomen Anomalina ariminensis and as defined by the holotype from Rimini, Italy (catalogue no. F0437 in the Muséum National d'Histoire Naturelle, Paris) (specific name of the type species of Anomalina d'Orbigny, 1826), is hereby placed on the Official List of Specific Names in Zoology.

History of Case 2906

An application for the designation of *Anomalina ariminensis* d'Orbigny in Fornasini, 1902 as the type species of *Anomalina* d'Orbigny, 1826 was received from Dr Stefan A. Revets (*University of Western Australia, Nedlands, Perth, Australia*) on 15 October 1993. After correspondence the case was published in BZN 54: 6–10 (March 1997). Notice of the case was sent to appropriate journals.

A comment in support from Prof L.C. Hottinger (*Geologisch-Paläontologisches Institut der Universität Basel, Basel, Switzerland*) was published in BZN 54: 183 (September 1997).

Decision of the Commission

On 1 March 1998 the members of the Commission were invited to vote on the proposals published in BZN 54: 9. At the close of the voting period on 1 June 1998 the votes were as follows:

Affirmative votes — 23: Bock, Bouchet, Brothers, Cocks, Cogger, Dupuis, Eschmeyer, Heppell, Kabata, Kerzhner, Kraus, Lehtinen, Mahnert, Martins de Souza, Mawatari, Minelli, Nielsen, Nye, Papp, Patterson, Savage, Schuster, Song

Negative votes — 1: Štys.

No vote was received from Macpherson.

Ride was on leave of absence.

Original references

The following are the original references to the names placed on Official Lists by the ruling given in the present Opinion:

Anomalina d'Orbigny, 1826, Annales des Sciences Naturelles, 7: 282.

ariminensis, Anomalina, d'Orbigny in Fornasini, 1902, Memorie della Reale Accademia della Scienze dell'Istituto di Bologna, Scienze Naturali, (5)10: 63, fig. 62.